

EXHIBIT A

Curriculum Vitae

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Experience:

3/01-Present Symyx Technologies, Santa Clara, *Director, Electronic and Related Materials*

3/99-2/01 Symyx Technologies, Santa Clara, *Group Leader, Electronic and Related Materials*
Technical management, personnel and budgetary responsibility for collaborative and internal research programs, in the Electronic and Related Materials business unit. (15 personnel). Report directly to CTO and work with business development to identify and develop new applications for combinatorial discovery.

9/97-2/99 Symyx Technologies, Santa Clara, *Staff Scientist*
Project leader of luminescent materials program in collaboration with industrial partners. Discovered X-ray storage phosphor that will be commercialized by Agfa. Developed combinatorial synthesis and screening techniques and automation for inorganic materials research including combinatorial techniques for discovery of fuel cell electrocatalysts.

11/96-8/97 Symyx Technologies, Santa Clara, *Postdoctoral Research Associate*
Developed combinatorial methodologies for novel materials discovery including combinatorial electrochemistry techniques and solution based approaches to combinatorial arrays of inorganic materials.

07/94-10/96 University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, *Postdoctoral Research Associate* with Prof. T.J. Meyer
Photophysical (steady state and time resolved) and electrochemical studies of transition metal polypyridyl complexes.

Education:

7/94 Ph.D. Inorganic Chemistry, Queen's University of Belfast, Northern Ireland with Professor J. Grimshaw
Thesis: Spectroelectrochemical properties of poly (amino acid) and metalloporphyrin modified electrodes.

7/90 B.Sc. (1st class Hons.) Chemistry, Queen's University of Belfast, Northern Ireland

Publications: Over 20 scientific publications and patents. Presentations at national and international conferences including plenary lecture at American Ceramics Society Meeting.

Affiliations: Member of American Chemical Society, Electrochemical Society and Materials Research Society

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- (11) "Resonance Raman and Surface-enhanced Resonance Raman Studies of Polymer-modified Electrodes which mimic Heme Enzymes" Bell, Steven E. J.; Devenney, Martin D.; Grimshaw, James; Hara, Susumu; Rice, James H.; Trocha-Grimshaw, Jadwiga, *J. Chem. Soc., Faraday Trans.* (1998), 94(19), 2953-2960.
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